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**Art Unit 2611**

**Attn: Certificate of Correction Branch**

Re: U.S. Utility Patent  
Patent No. 7,110,444 B1; Issued: September 19, 2006  
For: **Wireless Local Area Network (WLAN) Using Universal Frequency  
Translation Technology Including Multi-Phase Embodiments and Circuit  
Implementations**  
Inventors: Sorrells *et al.*  
Our Ref: 1744.0630003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Request for Certificate of Correction Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322;
2. Exhibit A (4 pages of Examiner-initialed PTO-1449 forms); and
3. Form PTO/SB/44 (5 pages).

The above listed documents are being electronically submitted through EFS-Web.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

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It is hereby requested that a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 be issued for the above-captioned United States Patent. This Certificate of Correction is being requested due to mistakes which appear in the printed patent. These mistakes were made by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Specifically, the printed patent contains the following errors for which a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested:

In Section (56), References Cited, a number of references that were cited and considered are missing. The specific references are those that were listed on pages 15-18 of the Information Disclosure Statement PTO-1449 form, filed December 15, 2004.

Copies of these Examiner-initialed pages are enclosed as Exhibit A for the convenience of the Examiner.

***Remarks***

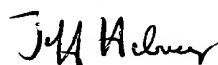
The above-noted corrections do not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require reexamination.

A completed Form PTO/SB/44 accompanies this request, with the above-noted corrections printed thereon. Accordingly, a Certificate of Correction is believed proper and issuance thereof is respectfully requested.

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# **Exhibit A**

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	AE15	4,888,557	12/1989	Puckette, IV et al.	329	341	
	AF15	4,890,302	12/1989	Mulwijk	375	80	
	AG15	4,893,316	01/1990	Janc et al.	375	44	
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	AL15	JP 47-2314	02/1972	JP	—	—	Yes (Doc. AP53)
	AM15	JP 58-7903	01/1983	JP	H03C	1/02	Partial (Doc. AQ53)

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	AN	15	Karasawa, Y. et al., "A New Prediction Method for Tropospheric Scintillation on Earth-Space Paths," <i>IEEE Transactions on Antennas and Propagation</i> , IEEE Antennas and Propagation Society, Vol. 36, No. 11, pp. 1608-1614 (November 1988).
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	AB16	4,902,979	02/1990	Puckette, IV	329	343	
	AC16	4,908,579	03/1990	Tawfik <i>et al.</i>	328	167	
	AD16	4,910,752	03/1990	Yester, Jr. <i>et al.</i>	375	75	
	AE16	4,914,405	04/1990	Wells	331	25	
	AF16	4,920,510	04/1990	Senderowicz <i>et al.</i>	364	825	
	AG16	4,922,452	05/1990	Larsen <i>et al.</i>	365	45	
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	AL16	JP 4-123614	04/1992	JP	H03K	19/0175	No
	AM16	JP 4-127601	04/1992	JP	H03D	7/00	No

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	AN	16	Lau, W.H. et al., "Analysis of the Time Variant Structure of Microwave Line-of-sight Multipath Phenomena," <i>IEEE Global Telecommunications Conference &amp; Exhibition</i> , IEEE, pp. 1707-1711 (November 28 - December 1, 1988).
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K	AR	16	Linnenbrink, T.E. et al., "A One Gigasample Per Second Transient Recorder," <i>IEEE Transactions on Nuclear Science</i> , IEEE Nuclear and Plasma Sciences Society, Vol. NS-26, No. 4, pp. 4443-4449 (August 1979).

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	AD17	4,970,703	11/1990	Hariharan et al.	367	138	
	AE17	4,982,353	01/1991	Jacob et al.	364	724.10	
	AF17	4,984,077	01/1991	Uchida	358	140	
	AG17	4,995,055	02/1991	Weinberger et al.	375	5	
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	AN	17	Liou, M.L., "A Tutorial on Computer-Aided Analysis of Switched-Capacitor Circuits," <i>Proceedings of the IEEE</i> , IEEE, Vol. 71, No. 8, pp. 987-1005 (August 1983).				
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	AP	17	Lo, P. et al., "Computation of Rain Induced Scintillations on Satellite Down-Links at Microwave Frequencies," <i>Third International Conference on Antennas and Propagation (ICAP 83)</i> , pp. 127-131 (April 12-15, 1983).				
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	AE18	5,017,924	05/1991	Guiberteau et al.	342	195	
	AF18	5,020,149	05/1991	Hemmle	455	325	
	AG18	5,020,154	05/1991	Zierhut	455	608	
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